

## 3C SONG Something Stupid

a Match the words in circles **A** and **B** that have the same sound.

**A**

1 too ☐ **b** 2 dance ☐

3 lies ☐ 4 night ☐ 5 day ☐

6 wait ☐ 7 head ☐

8 blue ☐

**B**

a eyes b you

c you d chance e right

f say g late

h red

b 23 Listen and complete the song with the rhyming words from circles **A** and **B**.

### Something Stupid

I know I stand in line, until you think you have the time  
To spend an evening with me  
And if we find someplace to <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
I know that there's a <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
You won't be leaving with me  
And afterwards we drop into a quiet little place  
And have a drink or <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
And then I go and spoil it all by saying  
Something stupid like 'I love <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_'.

I can see it in your <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you still despise  
The same old <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you heard the <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ before  
And though it's just a line to you, for me it's true  
It never seemed so <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ before

I practise every <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ to find some clever lines to <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
To make the meaning come through  
But then I think I'll <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ until the evening gets <sup>12</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
And I'm alone with you.  
The time is right, your perfume fills my <sup>13</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
The stars get <sup>14</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
And oh the night's so <sup>15</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
And then I go and spoil it all by saying  
Something stupid like 'I love <sup>16</sup> \_\_\_\_\_'.



c Why do the singers think it's stupid to say 'I love you'?

#### SONG FACTS

*Something Stupid* was originally a hit for father and daughter duo Frank and Nancy Sinatra in 1967. Nicole Kidman sang the song in the 2001 film *Moulin Rouge*, and later made a new recording of it with Robbie Williams.

#### GLOSSARY

spend an evening = pass an evening  
chance = possibility  
won't = will not (future)  
drop into = go into  
spoil = ruin, make something bad  
like = for example

despise = hate  
lies = things that are not true  
heard = past simple of *hear*  
clever = intelligent  
come through = be clear